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Grayling
Bowling League



AMERICAN LEAGUE

1 Vita Boy	26
2 Spike's Keg	22
3 Millkin Const. Co.	19
4 Baringer's	17
5 Welsh Motor Sales	17
6 AuSable River Inn	17
7 Smiggen's Diggens	16 1/2
8 Drewrys	16
9 Peterson Hdwe & Lum	15
10 Johnson Oil Co.	15
11 St. Mary's No. 1	15
12 Hanson Chevrolet	13
13 Long's Restaurant	13
14 Pfeiffer's	12
15 Cadillac Overall	11 1/2
16 Hull's Motel	11
Team high series: Vita Boy 2556	
Pfeiffer's 2499, Baringer's 2490.	
Team high single: Pfeiffer's 886.	
Vita Boy 855 - 855.	
Ind high series: Duley 568.	
Dave Cook 561, Bell 547.	
Ind high single: Dean 244,	
Madsen 221, Duley 230.	
Five high averages: Kelly 173,	
Quinn 173, Billsby 173, Roper 172	
Falling 171.	

NATIONAL LEAGUE

1 Pure Oil Co.	26
2 Kiwanis	23
3 Altes	20
4 Speedway '70	18
5 Clough Sport Shop	18
6 Cadillac Overall	17
7 Wayside Inn	16
8 Maid Rite	16
9 American Legion	15
10 Strouts	15
11 B.C.D.	14 1/2
12 Goebel's '22	14
13 Bear Archery	12
14 St. Mary's No. 2	12
15 Holsum Bread	9 1/2
16 Snow Bums	7
Team high series: Goebel's '22	
2377, Holsum Bread 2406, Kiwanis	
2381.	
Team high single: Goebel's 882	
Ind high series: Cincinatti 571.	
Bill LaChapelle 569, Cornell 546.	
Ind high single: Cincinatti 230.	
Bill LaChapelle 219, Mauren 214.	
Five high averages: Bob Schreier	
180, Carlyle 177, Snyder 176,	
Quinn 173, A. J. Nelson 172.	

RECREATION LEAGUE

1 Bear Archery	66 1/2
2 Dawson's	55
3 Spike's Keg	55
4 Altes	52
5 Black & White	51
6 AuSable River Inn	42 1/2
7 Marshall Motel	42
8 St. Mary's	42
9 Lozen's Dirty NX	39
10 Dad's Spt. Gds.	35
11 Grayling Merc.	35
12 Olson's Shoes	34
High team single: Bear Archery	
884-743, Spike's 205, Lozon's	
Dirty NX 694, Altes 691, Dawson's	
690.	
High team series: Bear Archery	
2245, Spike's 2117, Lozon's 2051,	
Altes 2039, Marshall Motel 1947.	
Ind high single: C. Hayes 222,	
E. Strong 221-176, G. Nielson 186-	
181, C. Cook 175, M. J. Watkins 175	
Ind high series: E. Strong 529,	
C. Hayes 523, G. Nielson 509, J.	
Hayes 482, L. Cook 488.	

NOTICE — March 4th deadline to entries for city tournament to be held on the following Sunday afternoons, March 13th-20th-27th. Captains get this information in to the following, C. Hayes, M. LaMotte and M. Nielson before or on March 4th.

NORTHWOOD LEAGUE

1 Weaver's	63 1/2
2 Alcy Kats	54
3 Sorenson's IGA	54
4 Plaza Grill	49
5 Forbes Motel	49
6 Tip Top Togs	46
7 AuSable Ins.	45 1/2
8 Hanson's Chev.	45 1/2
9 Burns Hdwe.	42 1/2
10 Mac's Drugs	41
11 Sut's Cuts	38
12 Bear Archery	26
Team high single: Bear Archery	
761, C. Hayes 742-722, Hanson's	
740, Burns Hdwe 719,	
Plaza Grill 716.	
Team high series: Bear Archery	
2105, Tip Top Togs 2073, Hanson's	
Chev. 2059, Alley Kats 2042, Wea-	
vers and Sorenson's 2022.	
Ind high single: M. LaMotte	
106-170, I. Hartfield 178, A. Carri-	
veau 173, F. Tollison 172, C.	
Hayes 166.	
Ind high series: M. LaMotte	
485, C. Sorenson 471, B. Cornell	
435, I. Hartfield 435, A. Carri-	
veau 434.	

NOTICE — March 7th is the last day to register for the Spring election.

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KIDDIES' PICTURES TAKEN FREE FOR PUBLICATION

There Is No Age Limit. There Is No Obligation

Friday, March 4th is the big shooting day! On that date the Crawford County Avalanche is having pictures taken of all children who are brought by their parents or guardian to Shoppingtonian on between 10 A. M. and 3 P. M. United Studios of Elkhart, Indiana, experienced children photographers equipped with the latest in speed lighting, will be in charge of photography.

The Avalanche wants a picture of you child to print in its forthcoming feature Kiddies' Calendar, a series of photographic studies of local children. The more we get, the better the feature, so the co-operation of all mothers and fathers is urged!

ROLL 'EM UP—DRINK 'EM IN

VIKINGS FACE DAYLORD IN TOURNEY THURS.

Sen. Charles T. Prescott Writes
Open Letter to County Taxpayers

Requests Thinking Of Local Citizens

State Senator Charles T. Prescott of the 28th District of which Crawford County is a part has written an open letter to the taxpayers of the County which he has asked that the Crawford County Avalanche publish.

In the following letter, he requests the taxpayers of our county to communicate with him giving their feeling on the state's financial situation at present and whether the state should pursue a program of going further into debt. Following is Senator Prescott's letter:

An open letter to the people of the 26th Senatorial District:

Michigan
State Senate
Capitol Building
Lansing, Michigan
February 21, 1955

Dear Fellow Taxpayers & Friends:

It has been my privilege to represent you in the Michigan Senate for several terms.

But never in my period of service — and never before in the history of the state — has the legislature been faced with decisions as grave to every taxpayer as we must meet and resolve in the next few weeks.

Too many legislators are saying,

"The people are not interested in taxes. Give them everything —



State Senator Prescott

the people will take everything and anything."

In this letter to you, it is my sincere and sole purpose to remind you of the state's true financial condition so you can appreciate the extent to which we taxpayers are already obligated, as well as the serious further obligation being urged upon us.

Too many legislators are saying,

"It is hard to realize — but true — that you bonded indebtedness

is all spent. It is water under the bridge. Don't let anyone fool you, you, the taxpayer owe this, no matter how it was financed. You are paying this debt now and you will continue to pay for the rest of your life."

Now I come to the principal reason for this letter, the reason I am coming to the people. I want to teach you how you can save another \$1,446,000,000 on top of your already huge obligation. That is what the governor has asked the legislature to do.

The governor has never mentioned that total new obligation he wants the legislature to impose on you. He didn't dare submit his costly recommendations as a whole. Instead, he has dribbled it to us piece by piece and message by message.

Let's put the governor's message together and examine them as a whole. For higher education, he asks \$150,000,000. He wants to pledge the full faith and credit of the state to bond issues in the amount of \$750,000,000 for school construction. He wants to finance a \$500,000,000 highway program by bond issue. On top of all this, he wants to enact a state program that would require an additional \$46,000,000 in new taxes this year.

This all adds up to that obligation of \$1,446,000,000 that I mentioned to your already staggering debt of \$1,300,000,000 in Michigan, plus the federal debt of \$24,000,000.

Do you, the worried taxpayer, want to think about that addition?

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The third reason is of course the adventure and experience to be gained by the individuals participating in this safari.

Mr. Bear flew to New York on February 28 where he joined the other members of the group. On March 2, they left the Idlewild Airport for Paris via Air France. After a short stopover in Paris they will take to the air again and fly almost directly South: over the Pyrenees, the Mediterranean Sea, the Sahara Desert, and on to Fort Lamy in French Equatorial Africa. The following day they will make a short flight to Fort Archaibault, from which point the Safari will be outfitted.

Secondly, professional cameramen are being assigned to the Safari to take a complete photographic record of the trip. The films will be used later for TV shows and for movies designed for sportsmen's groups etc.

The expedition is being organized by the Fugazy Travel Bureau of New York, and its purpose is threefold. First, the French wish to publicize the relatively unspoiled region of French Equatorial Africa where the Safari will take place, with a view to future similar bookings.

Third, professional cameramen are being assigned to the Safari to take a complete photographic record of the trip. The films will be used later for TV shows and for movies designed for sportsmen's groups etc.

Mr. Bear has hunted big game with the Bow and Arrow over much of North America. He has bagged, in addition to a good many deer, an enviable list of hard-to-get trophies among which are Moose, Pronghorn Antelope, Elk and Black Bear. This will be his first hunting trip abroad, however, and he is looking forward to it with great expectations, and hopes to return in April with a few trophies and great deal of exposed color film.

KIWANIS Club

Notes

Club secretary Robert Boeve was presented with a membership pin at Monday night's meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Grayling. The pin denotes four years of perfect attendance.

Club president Leslie Juniper announced that the club will meet at 8:15 P. M. on Tuesday, March 1, 1955, at the Kiwanis Club of Grayling.

March 2—Matilda Bauman Circle, M. M. Church, 2:00, Coffee and dessert.

Red Cross Drive March 1st-31st

Mary Jane Wakeley Named Homemaker Of Tomorrow

The Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow in our school is Mary Jane Wakeley.

She received the highest score in a written examination which tested her homemaking knowledge and attitudes of the senior girls in the graduating class. Winners are to be entered in competition for the title of All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow in this section of the state.

A corps of nearly 70 volunteers will canvass every home, factory, and business establishment in the chapter area.

Fund raising chairman Mrs. C. Gilstrap, in a last-minute message to the volunteer solicitors, reminded them that the Red Cross "fund appeal time is important not only to the thousands of people throughout the country who depend upon the contributions to Red Cross to help them in times of disaster, but to local people as well."

That money is all spent. It is water under the bridge. Don't let anyone fool you, you, the taxpayer owe this, no matter how it was financed. You are paying this debt now and you will continue to pay for the rest of your life."

Some 57.1 per cent of the local annual budget goes to caring for the needs of Crawford County servicemen, veterans, and their families and other county needs.

Of the total goal of \$1,500,000, 42.6 per cent will be allocated to national headquarters for its national and world-wide activities.

The 30 minute written examination designed and judged by Science Research Associates of Chicago, which was given to all participants in this national tournament, was favored by the two regular season contests this year, the Vikings are favored to take the court battle tonight. Gaylord posted at 62 to 39 win over Grayling on December 14, 1954, and East Jordan on January 21 to 68 to 48, the Saturday night contest still is rated as a tossup.

Although the two teams have split their two regular season contests this year, the Vikings are favored to take the court battle tonight. Gaylord posted at 62 to 39 win over Grayling on December 14, 1954, and East Jordan on January 21 to 68 to 48, the Saturday night contest still is rated as a tossup.

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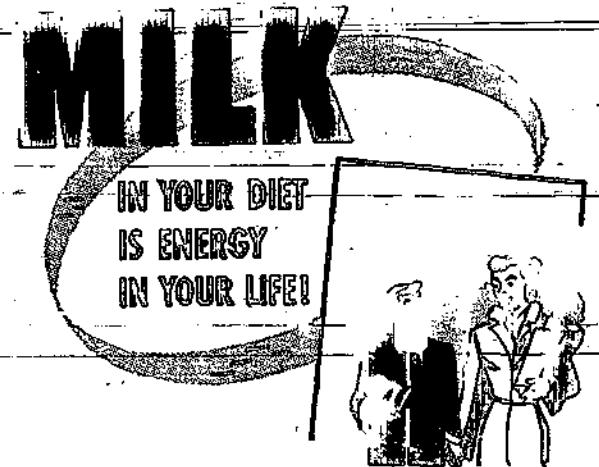
Photography by United Studios of Elkhart,
Indiana, using the latest "speed" lighting equipment.

Absolutely no charge or obligation. For
details see news column of this edition.

HERE IS TIME AND PLACE:

Shoppenagons Inn

Friday, March 4th — 10 A. M. to 5 P. M.



Local Pastor Attends Grand Rapids Meet

M. E. Lowrie, pastor of the Grayling Seventh-day Adventist church, was present at the denomination's quadrennial regional convention at Grand Rapids, February 28 through March 3.

Ministers, Bible teachers, and other denominational employees representing 412 churches in the states of Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, and Wisconsin attended the four-day session which was held in the Civic Auditorium in Grand Rapids. Church leaders from administrative offices in Lansing, Indianapolis, Chicago, and Madison, Wisconsin, were also present. R. R. Fegehr, president of the church's world-wide organization and other headquarters officials; W. B. Ochs, president of the North American Division; H. L. Ruby and H. T. Tamm, executive vice-president and associate secretary, respectively, also attended the session.

Reports of achievement in various phases of church work were given by departmental secretaries and other officials of the Lake Union Conference headquarters which is located at Berrien Springs, Michigan. Union conference officials and secretaries were elected and plans laid for the next four years.

Delegates to the session were chosen on a basis of one delegate per 250 church members from the 31,686 Lake Union church members.

Sunday evening, February 27, all the denominational employees from the State of Michigan convened in the Civic Auditorium to discuss the world-wide mission program currently being carried on in this state, as well as plans for vital church work in Michigan for the coming months.

Other regional Seventh-day Adventist conventions scheduled during the next few weeks will take place at Portland, Fresno, California, Oklahoma City, Kansas City, St. Paul, New York City, Cincinnati, and Ottawa, Ontario.

Pastor Laurie came to the Grayling church after several years in the upper peninsula as pastor of the Soul St. Marie twenty-day Adventist church.

Previous to that he and his wife and daughter Ellen represented the church as foreign missionaries to South America. They served in this capacity for over 20 years.

John Peterson Named County Bond Chairman

Detroit, Feb. 23, 1955 — John H. Peterson of Grayling has been appointed 1955 County Chairman of the U. S. Savings Bonds Division of the U. S. Treasury for Crawford County, it was announced by State Chairman, Noble D. Travis, today.

Mr. Peterson who owns the Grayling Laundry and Dry Cleaners will direct the volunteer effort to meet the County bond sales quota of \$75,775.

The announcement of 83 County Chairmen appointments officially launched the state-wide campaign to sell \$21,800,000 worth of Series E and Series H Bonds this year, the state's largest peacetime quota, an increase of nearly \$20,000,000 over the 1954 goal.

"Michigan has always made its Saving Bonds quota," Mr. Travis said in making the announcement. "Credit for this splendid record is attributed to the splendid cooperation received from past Savings Bonds volunteers such as John Bruner of Grayling who has been County Chairman for many years. Nineteen of these volunteers were awarded silver ten-year Treasury service pins this month and twelve were awarded five-year pins."

Letters To The Editor

Grayling, Mich.

February 23, 1955

Dear Bob:

Every time one tunes in radio and TV or glances at a newspaper headline they are confronted with chaotic, gruesome (or what is sometimes referred to as the heavy news).

I was wondering if you might not agree with me that some of the so-called lighter news might be a lift, a stimulus, to the frustrated and nerve racked condition of our people generally today.

I feel that some interesting commendation could and should be extended to our Superintendent of Crawford-Road-Comm-and-City Mgr. Messers Al Hull and Russell Carlson respectively, and their staff of workers.

Apart from keeping roads and streets very well plowed my yard has been extremely well taken care of, the interest and art displayed in the manipulation of this heavy equipment is most gratifying.

The R.L.D.S. Church is truly grateful for the way the City has taken care of the snow in the church yard and directly in front making parking much more convenient.

Sincerely,

Dan C. Babbitt

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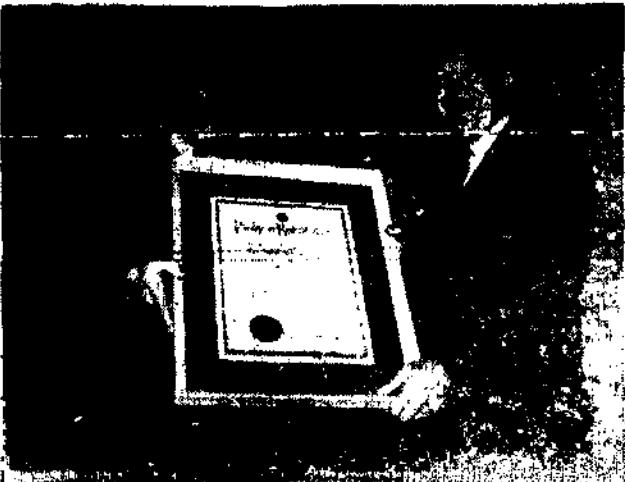
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Auto Club Lists Winter Sports Area

Grayling is one of a growing group of 57 Michigan winter sports areas described in "Automobile Club of Michigan's 1955 edition of the 44-page booklet "Winter Sports in Michigan," just published. Last year's booklet listed 47 areas.

Over 200 auto clubs in surrounding states with several million members have been supplied with copies of the booklet. Single copies are available free to Michigan residents at local Auto Club offices.

Under the heading of Grayling is the following description:

"Grayling Winter Sports Park Located two miles southwest of Grayling. It is Michigan's pioneer park and is opening another season under the management of Grayling Winter Sports, Inc. The park will be open around Christmas holiday season, weather permitting. The park features ice skating, four long, large lighted ice skating rinks, shelter lodge, cross-country ski and snowshoe trails, dishpan and coasting slides and a three-course, 3,100 foot steel-sided toboggan slide, the largest in the world. Fox, rabbit and wildcat hunting are an added attraction for the hunter. For the fisherman there is ice fishing and spearing at Lake Margrethe. The Grayling Winter Carnival will be held on February 11, 12 and 13.

"Skyline Ski Club: Located between Roscommon and Grayling one mile east at the junction of US-22, M-76 and M-10. It is open to the public but offers club membership featuring reduced tow fees.

There are three open slopes and six trails, each designed for novice intermediate and expert use and serviced by one of five tows. A rustic warming house provides a snack bar and lounge for skiers comfort. Free ski instructions on weekdays and ski patrol is maintained throughout. The Skyline Open Skid Week will be held at the end of February.

"Special package tours by bus which include transportation, accommodations, and park fees are being planned again for this season."

Accommodations listed for the Grayling area in the booklet include: Hull's Triangle Motel, Marshall's Motel, Pine-Aire Motel, Shoppenagons Inn, Simonds Cabin Motel, Forest Cabins, Fay's Motel, Johnson's Cabins, Fay's Home and Cabins.

Lake Margrethe

Water Level

Information furnished by U. S.

Geological Survey

Period of record, Nov. 12, 1942

To date:

Water level, Feb. 24, '55, 1133.80 ft.

Water level, Feb. 24, '54, 1133.86 ft.

Maximum level for period of record, April 5, 1943, 1135.39 ft.

Minimum level for period of record, Sept. 24-27, 1948, 1133.57 ft.

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Thursday, March 3, 1955

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WWTV PROGRAM

Thursday, March 3

11:15 — Sign On

11:30 — Michigan Revue

12:00 — News Nightcap

Saturday, March 5

11:15 — Love of Life

12:30 — Search for Tomorrow

*12:00 — Big Top

1:00 — U-M TV Hour

*2:00 — What in the World

2:30 — Religious Town Hall

3:00 — Saturday Mainee

*4:00 — Homemakers' Time

4:30 — Michigan Report

*4:45 — Bob Crosby

*5:00 — The Brighter Day

6:00 — Answers for Americans

*6:30 — WWTV Playhouse

7:30 — Stories of the Century

8:00 — Wrestling

9:00 — Two for the Money

9:30 — T-Men in Action

10:00 — Championship Bowling

Sunday, March 6

6:20 — Sports

6:30 — Range Rider

7:00 — Michigan Outdoors

7:30 — Creative Hobbies

8:00 — Mr. District Attorney

8:30 — All Star Theatre

9:00 — Liberace

9:30 — Four Star Playhouse

10:00 — Hockey Red Wings

10:45 — WWTV Playhouse

11:45 — Basketball Scores

12:00 — News Nightcap

Tuesday, March 9

11:15 — Sign On

11:30 — Michigan Revue

12:00 — Valiant Lady

12:45 — Love of Life

12:45 — Search for Tomorrow

1:15 — Kings Crossroads

1:45 — Road of Life

2:00 — Feature Film

2:30 — Around the Coffee Cup

3:00 — Homemakers' Time

3:30 — What in the World

4:00 — T-Men in Action

4:30 — Big Top

5:00 — The Brighter Day

6:00 — Answers for Americans

*6:30 — Secret Storm

7:00 — Michigan Revue

7:30 — Homemakers' Time

8:00 — Love of Life

8:30 — Search for Tomorrow

9:00 — Kings Crossroads

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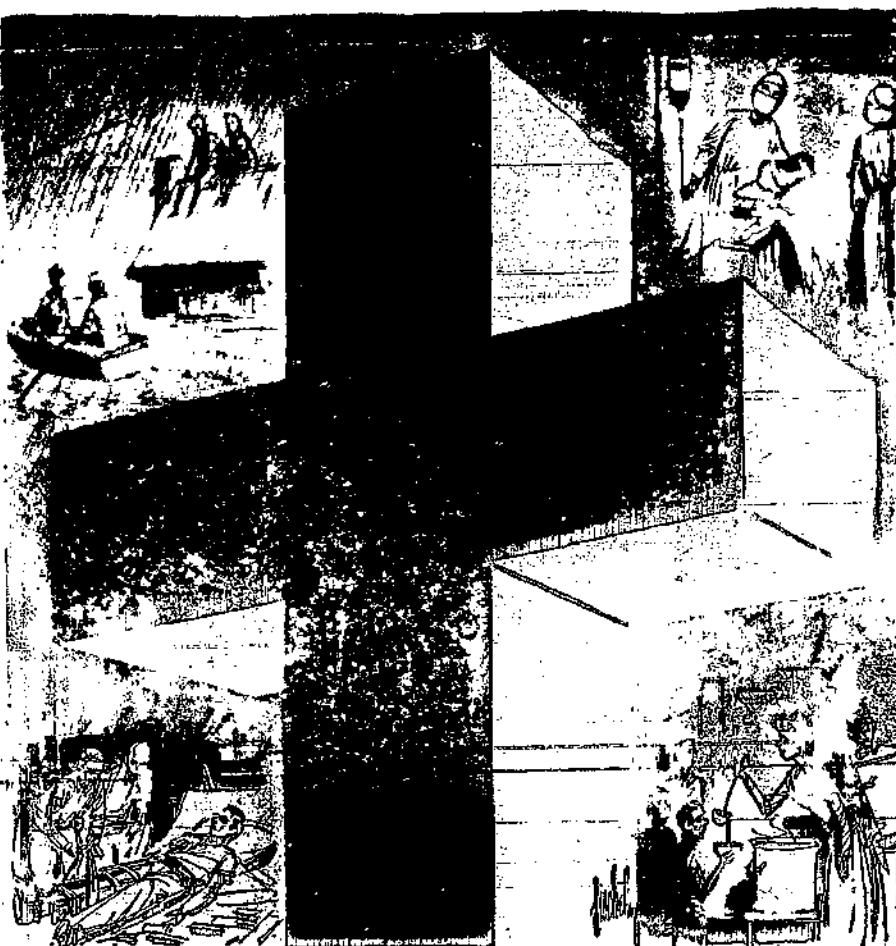
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YOU ARE NOT ALONE



A Vital Decision . . .

In this issue of our newspaper, there is an open letter from our State Senator, Charles T. Prescott, asking you to express your opinion to him about State finances and taxation.

We hope that you write the Senator your views. We hope that you do this because Michigan is at a crossroads and can either lay the groundwork for a solid economy that will mean a higher degree of prosperity for our section of the State, or can so mortgage the future that 10 years from now we will be in serious trouble to pay off State debts and keep services going.

We all know that we want an expanded highway program, better schools and all other things that make a State great.

But we also must be aware, as Senator Prescott points out, that we now have a State debt of \$1,300,000,000 and that our share of the Federal debt is \$24,000,000,000. Now there are proposals to put Michigan another \$1,400,000,000 in debt.

That's a lot of money, even if, as some people say, we "owe it to ourselves".

It's enough so that if every house, every farm, every store and all other property in our county were sold at its assessed valuation, it would not be enough to pay off our share of the debt.

That's something to think about.

That's why we hope you will take the time and trouble to spend a few minutes writing Senator Prescott what you think about it.

A Time To Give!

During the month of March the American Red Cross will conduct its annual campaign for members and funds in our town and throughout the country. At the same time, in an African jungle, one of the great men of our time will begin his 42nd year in a project of selfless devotion to mankind. Between these two seemingly unrelated events there is a connection, a strong one.

The man is Dr. Albert Schweitzer, physician, philosopher, writer and Nobel Prize winner, who has devoted most of his 80 years to running a hospital for the inhabitants of a remote jungle community.

Dr. Schweitzer has developed a principle called Reverence for Life, a subject on which he was interviewed recently.

It is not enough, he said, to do one's daily job, support one's family, abide by the laws. "That's all very well," he said, "but you must do something more."

"You must give some time to you fellow man. Even if it's a little thing, do something for those who have need of help, something for which you get no pay but the privilege of doing it."

So great was Dr. Schweitzer's belief in this principle that he left his native Alsace to live out his life

in a jungle. That principle brings us back to the Red Cross.

The Red Cross, in its essence, is merely the means by which we all can give some help to those of our fellowmen who need it, who must have it. Through the Red Cross can lighten the load of a tornado victim, help brighten the hours of a hospital patient, even save a life. In helping them, our own lives become more meaningful.

The Red Cross has long realized that fact and on it has been built the enduring, world-wide organization which serves us in so many ways. We can serve it, in turn, by joining during its March campaign for members and funds.

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

March 3, 1932
Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Darveau were in Gaylord Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. John Harris.

Miss Marguerite Montour returned from Ann Arbor Friday, where she had spent two weeks visiting her sister, Miss Genevieve Montour.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cooley and grandson, Sam Gust spent Sunday in Vanderhill visiting Dr. and Mrs. D. E. Winer.

Mrs. Marius Insley and son left Friday for Lansing to visit their mother, Mrs. William Duncan for the week.

Stanley Stephan, student at Ferris Institute, Big Rapids, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stephan and family.

Miss Nadine MacNeven returned from Mackinaw City Sunday to resume her duties at Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. William Powell were happily surprised Saturday evening when their son, Gerald Powell and family of Detroit drove up for a short visit. The Detroiters came immediately from the studio of WWJ where their two children, Gerald, Jr. and France Elleanor had broadcast at 12 o'clock. Gerald played three selections on the xylophone and Grace Eleanor played the flute accompanied by the piano.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Cushman and son, Robert were in Ypsilanti over the week end visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hanson and Miss Elizabeth Swanson were in Bay City Saturday on business. John Matthiesen is driving a new Essex Sedan purchased from the local agency, Corwin Auto Sales.

Paul Hendrickson left Monday for Detroit to attend the convention of the General Electric Refrigerator Co., held at the Hotel Statler this week.

Six daughters now grace the Earle Hewitt household, as another girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt at Mercy Hospital yesterday. Mother and baby are getting along nicely.

The baseball team's representative

Saturday, March 5
11:00 Weather
6:15 Sign On
6:25 Michigan Report
6:30 Sports Today
6:40 Weather
6:45 Western Time
8:00 Hollywood Wrestling
8:30 Musical Notes
9:00 Jockey Races
9:30 Holiday
10:00 Captured

Sunday, March 6
10:30 Your Hit Parade
11:00 Saturday Feature Movie
12:30 Weather
6:00 Sign On
6:15 James Mason Show
6:30 This Is The Life
7:00 Sunday Double Feature
10:00 Play of the Week
10:30 The Big Picture
11:00 Weather

Monday, March 7
5:15 Sign On
5:30 Howdy Doody
6:00 Religion on Parade
7:00 Children's Hour
7:30 Hollywood Cassidy
8:00 Northwestern Michigan
8:30 Life of Riley
9:00 Good Camera
10:00 Diana Smith
10:30 Gable's Cavalcade of Sports
10:45 The Passerby

Tuesday, March 8
11:00 Weather
5:15 Sign On
5:30 Howdy Doody
6:00 News
6:30 Limelight
6:45 Western
7:00 Sports Today
7:30 Coca Show
8:00 Holiday
8:45 Musical Notes
9:00 Roller Derby
9:30 You Are the Judge
10:00 The Big Picture
10:30 My Home Town
11:00 The Falcon

Wednesday, March 9
10:30 Play of the Week
10:30 Paul Bunyan Theater
11:30 Weather
6:15 Sign On
6:30 Bobo the Hobo
6:45 News
6:45 Shopping Tips
6:45 M. D.
6:45 Sports Today
6:45 Weather
6:45 Industry on Parade
7:00 Grass Roots
7:30 Victory at Sea
8:00 Religion Is Real
8:30 Inner Sanctum
9:00 Dangerous Assignment
9:30 Paul Bunyan Theatre
11:00 Weather

Thursday, March 10
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6:30 Sports Today
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ern neighbors 33-39. In a contest that proved to be as exciting an engagement as those two teams ever staged.

The Mother and Daughter basketball team in the dining room of the Michigamia Memorial Church Monday night won a delightfully novel affair. Miss Louise McAllister at the piano greeted the guests with "peppy" music as the Women's Club members, with their mothers and daughters entered the dining room and found places at the tables — mothers seated on one side, daughters on the other.

Grayling High School has been decimated by the epidemic of flu which is prevalent all over the state. However, it has not been decided necessary to close the school and work goes on steadily forward in spite of the handicaps imposed through partial-class attendance. Some schools have closed it is true, but not many when one considers the fact that all are more or less involved in the same conditions. Many are operating on about the same basis as the local school.

Ernest Larson who had his arm set at Mercy Hospital a couple of weeks ago is rapidly improving.

Miss Ingoborg Hansson is improving and expects to be dismissed from the hospital the last of the week.

A few friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Luther Herric last Thursday to remind her it was her birthday. The ladies spent an enjoyable afternoon and a nice lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sales visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Carriveau at Jackson this

week. They were accompanied home by Mrs. John Charlefour and Miss Madeline Carriveau Wednesday.

The interior of the Grayling State Savings Bank is undergoing a general remodeling and being nicely redecorated. The stairway has been removed enlarging the lobby. A new Congoleum rug on the floor adds greatly to its appearance.

Jess Schoonover returned from Detroit Sunday and reports that his daughter, Miss Pauline Schoonover, who is ill with diphtheria at the Herman Kiefer Hospital, Detroit, is slowly improving. Mrs. Schoonover is remaining in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jackson of Mt. Morris are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Glerke. They expect to make their home in the county, having rented a farm south of Grayling. Mrs. Jackson will be remembered as Emma Knight, who formerly resided in Grayling.

46 Years Ago — March 4, 1909

Small pox is reported as epidemic in and around Rose City, and a few cases in Kalkaska, Montmorency and Otsego. Diphteria in a mild form is reported from several counties. In Beaver Creek about twenty cases are reported cured.

The Michigan Central, fearing a shortage of ice on the southern division of the road, has commenced cutting two thousand carloads at George Lake.

A. M. Lewis was called to Berlin, Ontario last week by the

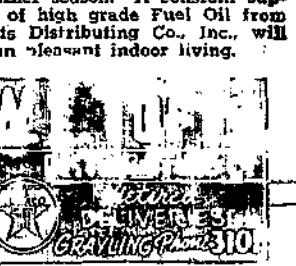
death of his father. He returned Friday night.

A fine auto arrived here for Mr. Hanson last week, and Eskern has been breaking the road for safe driving. It will be perfectly safe.

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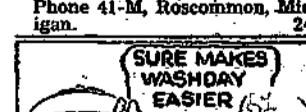
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R. L. D. S. News

The Women's Department of the Church held their meeting at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay O'Dell. A potluck luncheon was served at noon. Mrs. Jay O'Dell was hostess.

Following the luncheon, our leader, Lillian Turner, called the meeting to order. A short devotional was in charge of Mrs. Carl Olson. The lesson: "Later Day Saints Personality in the Home" was conducted by Mrs. O'Dell.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. John Albrecht at his city home, 204 Park. These meetings are open to all ladies and their Elders.

Elder John Lawson of Traverse City, closed his two weeks series of missionary meetings last Sunday, February 27. His sermons, through the inspiration of God, and his experiences in the Church of Jesus Christ, helped many people to find the real love of our Heavenly Father; and the purpose of our Master, the Christ. As the members of the church enjoyed the experience of these meetings, their only regret was "more should have attended, to enjoy this great story of the Restoration."

Elder Lawson's subjects were as follows: "What Must I Do to be Saved?" "The Church That Jesus Built," "The Apostasy," "The Book of Mormon," how it came to be the "Book of the Teachings of Christ," "The Restoration," "The Restoration," "What had to follow the Apostasy," and "Life After Death."

During guests, following the series, and entertained in the home of Dan and Mrs. Babbitt were: Elder John Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Norval Stephan, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Fowler and son Jeffery, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Stephan, Sr.

The musical sponsored by the Northern Michigan District of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, was carried through as planned, with the exception of the East Jordan Branch. For some unknown reason they did not attend. We, as the Grayling Branch, were most gracious and happy to be able to entertain a group of missionaries, who came to us especially, which came about through the kindness of the church members and their Pastor, Rev. E. G. Miller of the Michelson Memorial Church.

Mr. and Mrs. John Achles of Vanderbilt visited Mrs. Beesie Cooke Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baker received word from Mt. Pleasant Central Hospital that his sister Mrs. Christine Otto passed away.

She was taken to Pecknold where the funeral was held Saturday morning, February 26.

Mr. Laura Wallace slipped in her home last week and fell; no broken bones but a bad shake up.

Mrs. Warren Hornet fell in her back yard last week and broke her right wrist.

Mrs. Harry Cooper of Saginaw has been visiting Mrs. Raymond Raynor in Pecknold past two weeks.

A special social gathering held in Rose City, Mrs. C. Barber, Mrs. D. Mertes, Mrs. Joan Smith, Mr. H. Johnson and Mrs. H. Brown attended.

Troop 2 Brownie Scouts met Feb. 22nd. Roll Call was answered by 13 Brownies with Brownie duties: Singing and prayer were enjoyed by the group. They started a new project of Planting of fruits and vegetables. All Brownies were present and 4 visitors, Gayle Mattison, Annie Hermer, Sandra Hopkins and Penny Dunckley, Betty Weaver and Janis Johnson served.

Mrs. Merle Howard is a patient at Gaylord hospital.

The Women's Department of the church, with Mrs. John Knecht as chairman, served a very delicious luncheon to the distant visitors before they departed to their several homes following the musical and the special hour at the R. L. D. S. Church.

Mrs. Dan Babbitt.

Following is the program presented:

Prelude, Mrs. Flora Vandenberg; hymn, "Love Divine," con-

gregation; Invocation, Dan Bab-

bitt; choir, "I Will Sing the Won-

drous Story," acapella, and "He

Lives," Grayling; solo, "Jesus Is

Listening In"; Mrs. Katherine

Pralle of Cheboygan; trio, "We're

You There," and "Lord, I Wanna

Be a Christian"; Joy Hutchins,

Rev. E. G. Miller, Edith Engmark,

Goldord, accompanied by Anna

Widrig, piano solo, "I'm a Glor-

ious Worm"; Lucy Clark, Pauline Van-

dusen, Traverse City; choir, East

Jordan; solo, "Lord Jesus Is Thy

Mercy"; Mrs. Bernard Fowler,

Grayling; reading, Bothum White-

Duet; "Just a Closer Walk With

Me"; Dale Nugent, Linda

Manning of Leland; trio, "He

Leads Me"; Lila Hale, Halde

Ormsbee; Betty Johnston of Che-

boygan; solo, Sally McNeil of Al-

pene; piano solo, "Tchaikovsky

Concerto No. 1," Judy Hanson of

Lachine; duet, "Dearer Than All,"

Max Wellman and Homer Doty of

Traverse City; trio, "Suffer Little

Children"; Penny Pettyjohn, Susan

Olson, and Brian Ashton of Gray-

ling; quartet, "The Beautiful City,"

Tressa Stephan and Helen Jensen

of Grayling; solo, "This Is My

Home," Mrs. Wanda Johnson of

Gaylord; hymn, "Hallelujah the Tie

That Binds" Congregation and

benediction, Rev. R. C. Puffer.

Lovells News

The Cheerful Givers Club will meet Thursday evening with Mrs. Clarence Stillwagon for their regular meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Stillwagon visited their folks in Lovells Sunday.

A very good crowd attended the 500 party Saturday, having enough couples for five tables. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Koernke had charge that evening. Mr. Gus Koernke and Mrs. E. Hartman winning first prizes, while Loretta Koernke and Fred Herric won the consolation prizes. A lovely lunch was enjoyed by all.

Story of Mrs. T. Morris' misfortune, she having slipped on the ice last week end and broke her right wrist. She will be carrying it in a cast for a few weeks.

John Sciley of Midland called on Lovells friends last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Bottoms drove up from Flint Sunday and went down to their place. Charley had to end his vacation in the basement where cherry pie and coffee was served by the following committee: Juanita Gibson chairman assisted by Solly Goldie, Ann Hartson, Marie Martin, Anna Harson, Marie Martin. The tables were decorated with white table cloths, red, white and blue napkins and American flag arranged along the center of the tables in honor of George Washington's birthday.

The next meeting will be March 22nd at the Grayling Hall, at 8:00 o'clock. This will also be a combined business and social meeting.

Margaret M. Balch, Publicity Chairman.

CARD TO CHARITIES

To Doctor Henry J. Hodder,

Sisters and Nurses of Mercy Hos-

pital who gave me wonderful care

and while I was in bed, Mrs. Hodder

came to my room and said all my friends

had come to see me.

This was also my birthday

night and the following ladies

were initiated, Mrs. Billy Forbes,

Mrs. Jack Rasmussen, Mrs. Larry

McNamara and Greta Rasmussen.

Mrs. Ida Papendick

Maple Forest

Mrs. Christine Feldbauer is concluding at the home of her son, Bernard Feldbauer and family of Pontiac.

The date for the Peoples cause

has been set for March 11

at 8:00 P.M. at the town hall.

Bruce Baldwin of Detroit spent

the week end of his home here.

Local Extension club met on

Wednesday night at the home of

Rebbie Feldbauer with fifteen

members answering roll call.

After the business meeting the

Lesson on "Mending Cottons" wa-

given by Opal Hamblin. The next

meeting will be on Tuesday, March 8th at the home of Martha

Peterson.

Larry Megill left for Detroit on

Sunday for his pre-ind

Fredric Scout News

The Frederic Boy Scouts went to the Grayling Winter Sports meeting in Grayling, Sunday afternoon, Feb. 27th. There were thirteen boy's who went.

Their names were Gary Filippo, Tom Klemmt, Billy Johnson, Don Newberry, Benny Pratt, Freddie Allen, Freddie Turner, Steven Mays, Wayne Barber, Maurice Mays, Ronnie Mates and Charles Lodge. Reporters

Transportation was furnished by Mr. Johnson, Jess Pratt and Clem Sajdak.

We had a very good time and we would like to thank the Grayling Winter Sports Park committee for their hospitality.

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BITS O' TALK

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We celebrated our Den Chiefs birthday, (Gary Filippo) this week. Mrs. Harold Babitt baked him a beautiful birthday cake.

Our next Den meeting, March 2nd will have the Boy Scouts two men from

the local area.

Mrs. Charles Knutilla of Houston spent the weekend here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Souders.

Word was received of the death of William Hatfield of Detroit, Sunday morning at the age of 57. Mr. Hatfield passed away at Mt. Carmel Hospital. Funeral services were held Tuesday at Grandview Cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hatfield, Sr., spent the last ten days there caring for his brother.

John and Clarence Hoback of Detroit spent the weekend with the Misses Agnes Ann and George Hanson.

Among the C.M.C.E. students home for the weekend, visiting their parents were Mr. and Mrs. Joan Andrews, Roy Koenig, Carol Mikessell and Carol Miller.

Several friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McCain Sunday evening for a pot-luck dinner and a card party.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gust and son Gary returned home Sunday after spending ten days at Mt. Tremblant, Canada.

Mr. John Fallin left Wednesday for Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Maryland, to attend an eight weeks' Ordnance School course on turret artillery repair.

John is a member of Michigan National Guards at Camp Grayling.

On Saturday, March 5th, some fifteen Bill and Helen Johnson, and friend Jim Hargan, were here for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Hausswell and son spent the weekend in Detroit visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Dorgie accompanied them there and went on to Scottville where they attended a funeral.

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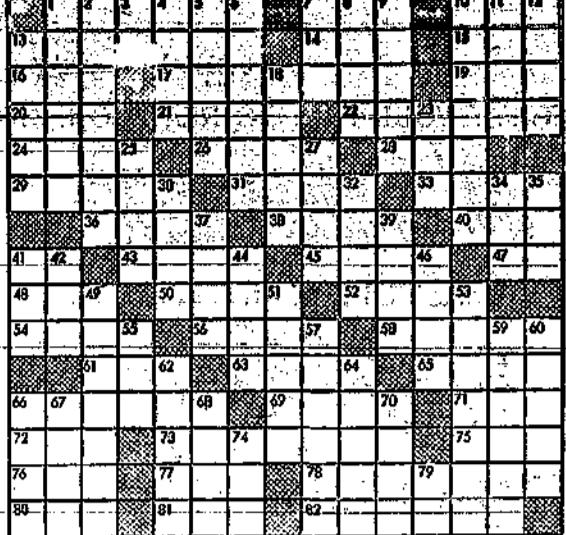
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In forty days plaintiff cause a notice in writing to be published in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, such publication to be continued there, in once in each week for six weeks in succession.

John C. Shaffer
Circuit Judge
Countersigned
Leo E. Lovley
Clerk of the Court

TAKEN NOTICE that this suit, in which the foregoing order was duly made, involves it and brought to quiet title to the following described parcel of land situated in the Township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan, to wit: The NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Section 28, Town 25 North, Range 2 West.

Charles E. Moore
Attorney for Plaintiffs
1. r. Mar. 10th, Grayling, Mich.

To the Owner or Owners of any and all interests in or Leins upon the Lands herein described:

TAKEN NOTICE that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title to under tax deed or deeds, issued thereto, and that he is entitled to receive the same, thereto, at any time, within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with fifty per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, which fee shall be the same as provided by law for service of process, or for orders of publication or for costs of such service by registered mail, and the further sum of five dollars for cadastral survey without other expense, including expenses of publication, or charges. Provided That with respect to purchasers at the tax sale held in the years 1938 and 1940 the sum stated in such notice as a condition of reconveyance shall only be all sums paid as a condition of the tax title purchase, together with ten per centum additional thereto. If payment as aforesaid is not made the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held in said Court, having filed in said Court her petition, praying that the administration of said estate be granted to her, to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered That the 11th day of April, 1955, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., at said Probate office, he and is hereby appointed

for hearing said petition, and is further ordered that the

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It is Further Ordered That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Present, Honorable James V. Rutledge, Acting Judge of Probate

In the Matter of the Estate of Robert F. Neafie, Deceased

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and date be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against and deceased by and before said Court.

It is Ordered That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 25th day of April, 1955, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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A true copy.

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Acting Judge of Probate

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BITS O' TALK

Thane Hendershot and James Duley spent last Thursday and Friday in Lansing on business for the Supply Co.

Mrs. Charles Wheeler of Detroit and Mrs. Charles Miller of Kenosha, Wise., spent last Tuesday here visiting Dr. C. R. Keyport and were the guests of Mrs. Oscar Hanson.

The American Legion Post 106 has recently installed new Knock-Down drawings on the front of their building, and really looks nice.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sobelsky of Saginaw were breakfast guests,

February 18th, of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Welsh en route to Petoskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley LaGrow and family spent last Thursday evening at Karr's Institute, Big Rapids, visiting their daughter, Miss Cora Ann.

Mrs. Ruth Jelneck and Mrs.

Valdi Walking spent last Wednesday in Gaylord on business.

Cpl. William Weiss arrived home last Tuesday to spend a 45 day leave visiting his mother, Mrs. Luella Weiss. Upon his return, Bill will be stationed in Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gierke of Battle Creek returned home Sunday after spending several days visiting his mother, Mrs. A. F. Gierke.

Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Henig spent

Friday in Thaverse City.

Mrs. Ralph Colens of Lake Marguerite spent last week in Merritt visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Sine. She also visited friends in Lake City and Cadillac.

Miss Pat Olson of Fairborn, Ohio spent last week end visiting Mrs. Mary Farmer.

Miss Jane Brush drove to Lansing last Wednesday and met David "Skip" Hanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson. "Skip" was recently discharged from the Army after serving 15 months in Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kroll entertained several friends at a dinner party Friday evening. The party was in honor of Fred Bear, who left Sunday for a trip to Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Haines and son of Traverse City, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Nielsen and Mrs. Lacey Stephan and son, Lacey Jr., spent Saturday in Detroit. While there, they attended the Ice Show at the Olympia Stadium.

Home Extension Group 5, met at the home of Mrs. Byron Randolph last Monday evening. The lesson on mending cottons was presented by Mrs. Herbert Stephan and Mrs. Clarence Roberts. A nice lunch was served by the hostess following the lesson.

Miss Jean Randolph returned home last Thursday after spending a week in California and Nevada visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Piehl of Gaylord spent last Tuesday here visiting Mrs. Edward Gierke.

Mrs. George Granger, Sr. of Big Rapids spent the week and visiting Mrs. Ernest Borchers.

The Buncos Club met at the home of Mrs. Charles Borcher with Mrs. Roger Borcher as hostess the evening of February 17th. First prize was won by Mrs. Eva Carlson, second by Mrs. Jack Church, third by Mrs. Roger Borcher and the penny prize went to Mrs. Byron Randolph. A nice lunch was served by the hostess and the next meeting will be March 3rd at the home of Mrs. Janis Wirtzen.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Linderman and son of Belle Vernon, Penn., returned home last Wednesday after spending several days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Antuis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Siegler and daughter, Fawn, spent the week end with their daughter and family, the Herman Rebels.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ashton and son of Saginaw spent last week end with their parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Claud Parker and Mr.

and Mrs. Kenneth Ashton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Alet and son, Johnnie, spent last Tuesday in Traverse City on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Vallet of Kalkaska spent Thursday afternoon visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bowen en route to Detroit.

Mrs. Jack Alet entertained several couples at a surprise birthday party Tuesday in honor of her husband.

Mrs. Sena Wium was hostess to the Danish Ladies Aid last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Peter Madsen.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mangen of Detroit were over night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Madsen last Saturday.

Twelve ladies spent last Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Jess Sales. Coffee and cake was served in honor of her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Algot Johnson spent the week end in Bay City visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. Sena Wium accompanied them as far as Pinconning and spent the week end there with her daughter and family, the Erling Klugs.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Broadhead spent last Sunday in Gaylord visiting their daughter, Mrs. William Wadig and family.

The Penny Pinchers Home Extension group met at the home of Mrs. Robert Annis last Tuesday evening. The lesson was on modern mending of cottons.

Mrs. Lydia Johnson became a member of the group and Mrs. S. D. Palmer, Jr. was a guest. A nice lunch was served by the hostess.

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Prescott's Letter

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at financial burden before it thrust upon you? Or do you wish us to saddle you with these additional obligations and then wonder how you will pay off? The Governor glibly brushed off this staggering obligation with these words in his first message to this session of the legislature:

"That is a bridge we can cross when we come to it, if we ever come to it — and I hope we never do."

"We'll come to it alright. When you buy on credit, you always come to the time for settling up!

And when we do come to settling up time for the governor's program, it will cost you real tax dollars. It will not and cannot be paid by any one tax, as the governor suggests. The Michigan legislature would have to dip into your pockets for millions of new tax dollars. This means the legislature would have to increase all sources now taxed and add many new taxes.

To carry out this spending program would require not only the corporation-income tax the governor is proposing but also a personal income-tax, real estate property tax, higher gasoline tax, higher sales tax, higher weight tax, higher business receipts tax, and new taxes in many other fields.

The people of Michigan have already repudiated a personal income tax, and our memories are certainly long enough to go back to those years when the real estate tax became confiscatory and finally required a ten-year moratorium.

May I hear from you? Please address me at the State Senate, Lansing, Michigan.

Sincerely your senator

Charles T. Prescott

Crawford County Avalanche
Thursday, March 3, 1955

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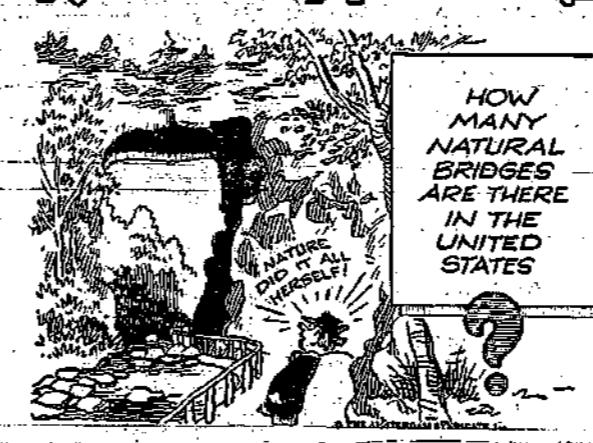
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I REMEMBER

BY THE OLDTIMERS

Route No. 1, P.O. Frederic, Grayling, Michigan. I remember, when I was a little boy, my mother would burn hickory wood in the fireplace and save the ashes to put in what was called the ash hopper to be kept dry until enough was saved. Then she would add water to the ashes and catch the drippings which would be real strong red lye.

She would use this lye to boil the beans off corn to make hominy. She put some lye and water in an iron pot, put the shelled field corn which had been soaked in cold water and left it until the bran cracked off the grain, stirring constantly.

She would then wash it in lots of water until the bran rubbed off. Then she would put it in a pot of clear water, add a little salt to taste, and cook the whole grain until it was tender. Then just if in the skillet, add bacon grease or butter and it was delicious.

My mother used some of these drippings to make laundry soap from the bacon scraps and bones of pork.

I also remember hearing my grandmother say she had seen the time when they had to burn the corn cobs and use the ashes for heating soda—that was during the war between the states.

(Other contributions to the column—The Old Timer, Community Friend, Frankfort, Kentucky.)

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Board of Review

THE CITY CHARTER IN SECTION 3 UNDER THE HEADING
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IN THE YEAR 1950 AND EACH YEAR THEREAFTER, THE BOARD OF REVIEW SHALL MEET FOR THE PURPOSE OF REVIEWING AND CORRECTING THE ASSESSMENT ROLL AT THE CITY HALL IN SAID CITY, ON TUESDAY AFTER THE FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 9 A.M. AND 4 P.M. AND SAID BOARD SHALL ALSO MEET ON THE SECOND MONDAY IN MARCH AT 9 A.M. AND SHALL CONTINUE IN SESSION THAT DAY AND THE DAY FOLLOWING BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 9 A.M. AND 4 P.M. ON EACH OF THESE DAYS UNTIL THEIR WORK IS COMPLETE.

Russell Carlson

CITY CLERK

CITY OF GRAYLING

GIRL SCOUTS

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national headquarters.

Therefore a plan was instituted in 1948 to form larger and stronger councils. Because of this forward and research on the national level, only 12,000 councils were formed by 1952, instead of the anticipated figure of 17,000. This was accomplished from merging and consolidating coun-

Miss Lang suggested that the local Frederic Girl Scout Council use the name "association" instead of "council" because true councils are incorporated by state and national offices. At present the national council is located at Bay City. Future planning on the national level would combine the six counties north of Bay City into a large, strong council with Bay City. This merger would enable lone troops, such as the three at Frederic, to receive more direct and faster service than what they are able to receive from national headquarters at New York City.

The most important problem presented by the Frederic, West Branch and Rose City representatives at the meeting was the securing and training of volunteer local troop leaders. All communities felt a need for leadership training.

Miss Lang informed the group of the availability of retired former council executives who sometimes give leadership training for a set fee of \$25 daily plus transportation expenses. Mrs. E. Garrison of West Branch volunteered to contact one nearest former council executive and attempt to form a class for leaders and assistants and prospective leaders from Frederic, West Branch, Rose City, Standish, East Tawas, Lincoln, Harrison, and any other interested communities.

At the present time, the established volunteer leadership courses are available only to those people having two years of leadership experience and recent basic leadership training. Such a

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SPORTS CORNER

This is 'Hot'

When pitcher Bob Feller signed his 1955 contract it marked the 11th year between the fastball expert and the Cleveland Indians. Feller joined the Tribe in 1938 as a 17-year-old Iowa farm boy. The American League's oldest player in point of service, Feller holds more wins than any other active major league hurler. He and Hal Newhimer are the only native big leaguers with more than 200 victories. If you've been wondering where to buy it—meaning anything in the way of sporting apparel—C. C. Spink & Son, St. Louis, Missouri, have released the 48th edition of the Sporting Goods Trade Directory, 220 pages which lists the thousands of sources of supply to various items sold and used in sporting goods stores. In addition, it lists the names and addresses of the officers of 425 governing bodies of sports and 26 trade associations.

Although tennis has long been popular in England, only recently have lights been installed on some courts for night playing. Lights are operated by slot machine arrangement—one shilling dropped into a slot provides lights—for 15 minutes.

course is being offered March 28th at the Kellogg Center in East Lansing. Because none of the representatives present had had basic leadership training, they were enthusiastic about contacting the former council executive to form a basic leadership course.

Another possible way of obtaining the required basic leadership training would be to attend a course at Bay City or Saginaw. Most of the representatives are mothers with family responsibilities and are unable to leave home for a course of this type.

It was with the hope of obtaining another executive council member who would meet nearer the represented communities that the representatives left the meeting Thursday night and drove on icy roads back to their own communities.

This District meeting was the first opportunity that the lone troops had had any personal contact with each other. It was encouraging to meet and share experiences and problems relating to Girl Scouting.

Girl Scouts all over America will be celebrating Girl Scout Week, March 6-12. The Girl Scout birthday, March 12, is the day the first troop was started by Juliette Low in Savannah, Georgia.

During this week Girl Scouts of Brownie Troop I and Intermediate Troop II of Frederic will present a display at the Frederic Post Office to show the community what they are doing in the Girl Scout Program.

Girl Scouts at Frederic thank the community for the interest and help it has given them during their three years of existence. The community for its welfare of its youth. Girl Scouting can hold the key to the answer to juvenile delinquency. The Girl Scout movement has been recognized as a way of developing good citizens. Girl Scouting is non-sectarian; its membership, regardless of race, creed, and color, provides an ideal framework in which to learn and practice democracy, for it understands and respects the rights and beliefs of others. Its appeal to youth is through the fun and adventure shared by its members; its methods aim to develop the girl-to-girl, fullness of life, through a girl's own efforts. Girl Scouting aims to show a girl how to use in a practical way what she has learned, to encourage her to develop new abilities and appreciation, and most of all, to help her develop a healthy attitude toward life and a set of true values.

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